

Mr. Nesbitt moved to lay said report on the table;

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Matthews, chairman of the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims, made favorable reports upon the petitions of Benedict Reynolds and James Bryant, soldiers of the revolution, severally praying to be placed on the pension roll, accompanied with the following resolutions:

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Treasurer of the Western Shore of Maryland pay to Benedict Reynolds, or order, of Washington county, in the State of Pennsylvania, during life, the half pay of a private, in consideration of services rendered during the revolutionary war.

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the treasurer of the Western Shore of Maryland pay to James Bryant, or order, of Queen Anne's county, during life, the half pay of a private, in consideration of services rendered during the revolutionary war;

Which were severally read the first, and by a special order the second time, the reports severally concurred in, and the resolutions therein contained assented to.

Mr. Maccubbin reported a bill, entitled a supplement to the act passed December session 1836, ch. 144, entitled an act for keeping in repairs the public roads in Prince George's county;

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Martin,

The house took up for consideration the bill from the senate, entitled an act supplemental to an act respecting the equity jurisdiction of county courts, and the amendments reported thereto from the committee on grievances and courts of justice.

The 1st, 2d and 3d amendments reported by the committee, were assented to.

On motion of Mr. Martin,

Said bill was amended, by striking out, in the 4th section, 6th line, the word "may," and inserting in lieu thereof "shall."

Mr. Presstman moved to amend the amendments proposed by the committee as additional sections to the bill by striking out the 6th section thereof;

Resolved in the affirmative.

The 5th, 7th and 8th sections, reported by the committee as amendments, were assented to;

The said bill was then read the second time and passed with the proposed amendments.

Mr. Gantt, (seconded by two other members that voted in the majority) moved to reconsider the vote of the house, upon the bill from the senate, "entitled an act to incorporate the Patapsco Canal and Navigation Company;"

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Hope,

The yeas and nays were ordered, and appeared as follows: